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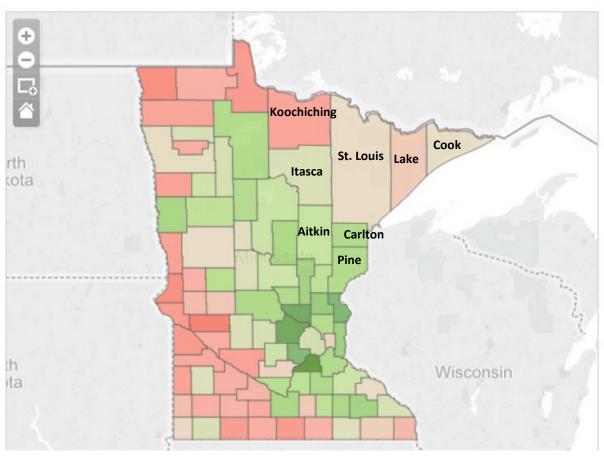


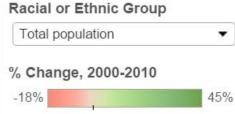
POPULATION OUTLOOK, MINNESOTA





### OVERALL POPULATION GROWTH DURING 2000-2010 IN 5 OF 8 COUNTIES IN REIF REGION IN MN





• Carlton: +3,715

• Pine: +3,220

• Itasca: +1,066

• Aitkin: +901

• Cook: +8

Koochiching: -1,044

• St. Louis: -302

Lake: -192

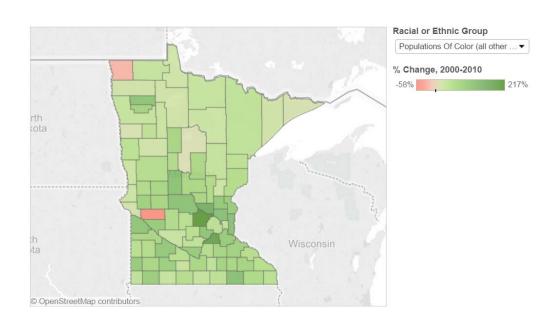


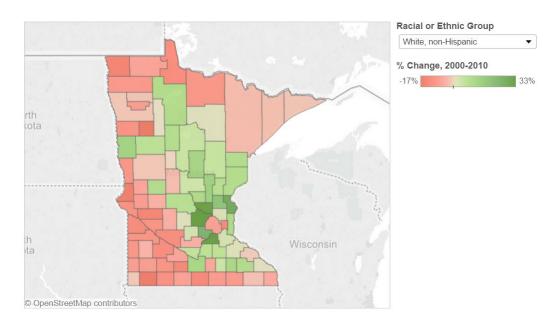


# 2000-2010: POPULATIONS OF COLOR GREW IN ALL REIF COUNTIES IN MN

Population of Color: Growth in all REIF counties, All but 2 counties statewide

White, Non-Hispanic Population: Growth in 4 of 8 REIF counties, Only 37 of 87 counties statewide

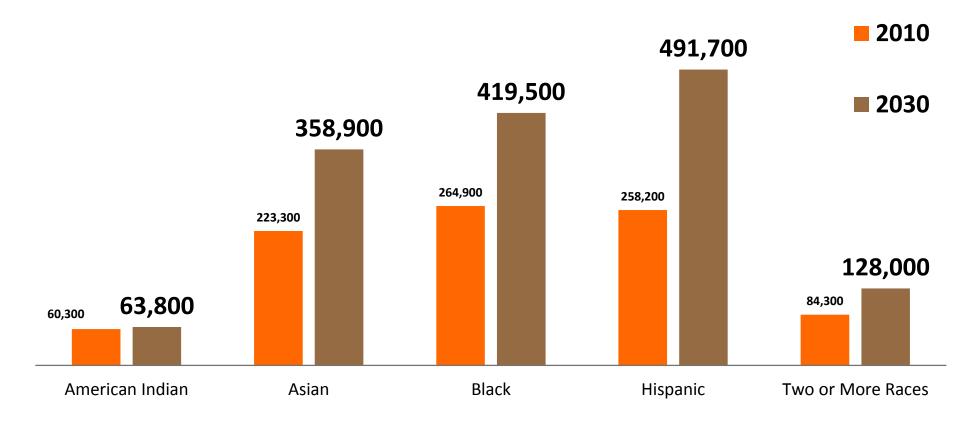






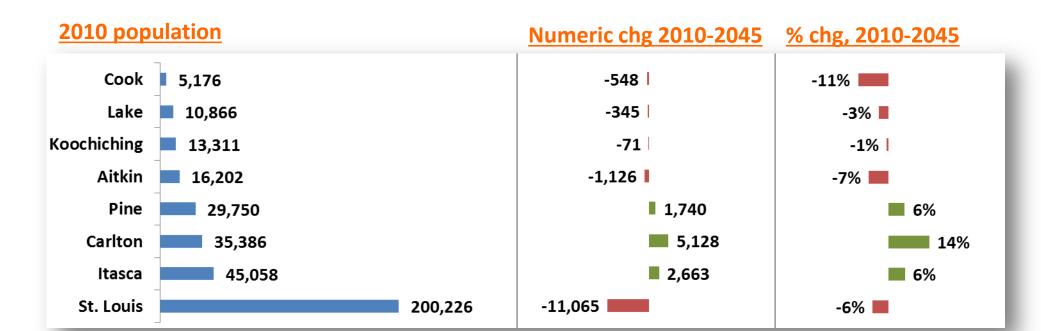


# MN: Largest growth among Asian, Black and Hispanic groups by 2030





### POPULATION OUTLOOK FOR REIF COUNTIES IN MN, 2010-2045

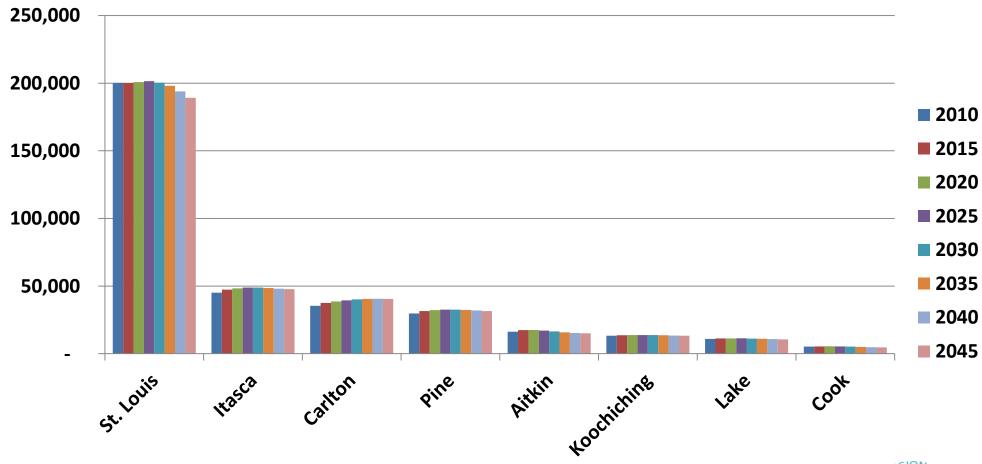


- 3 of 8 counties anticipated to gain population by 2045
  - Pine, Carlton, Itasca
- In 2010, St. Louis accounted for 56% of region (by 2045, 54%)





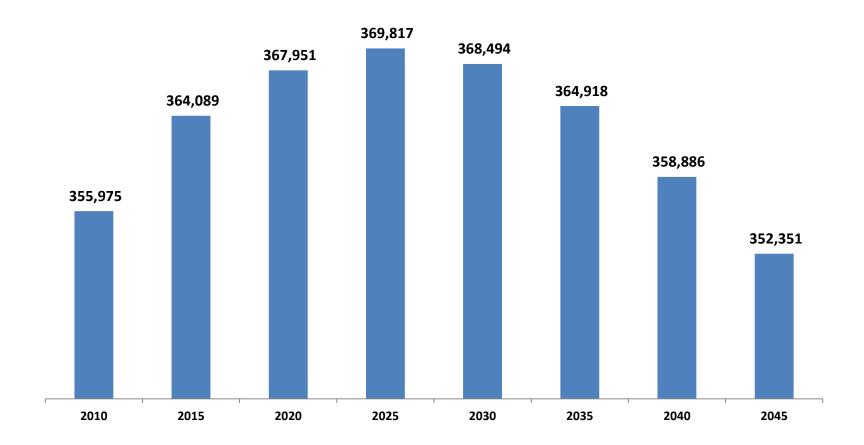
### Population Outlook for REIF Counties (MN only), 2010-2045







### REIF REGION POPULATION (IN MN) ANTICIPATED TO PEAK IN IN 2025

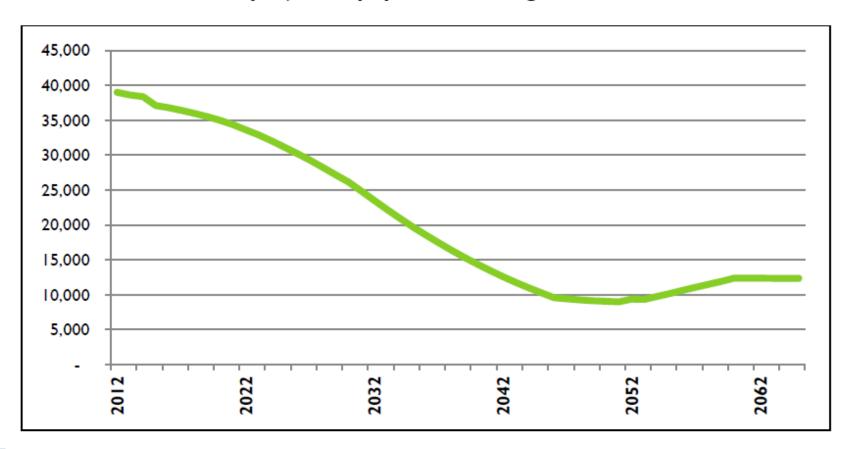






#### MN'S POPULATION GROWTH TO MODERATE IN COMING DECADES

#### Minnesota's projected population change, 2012-2065

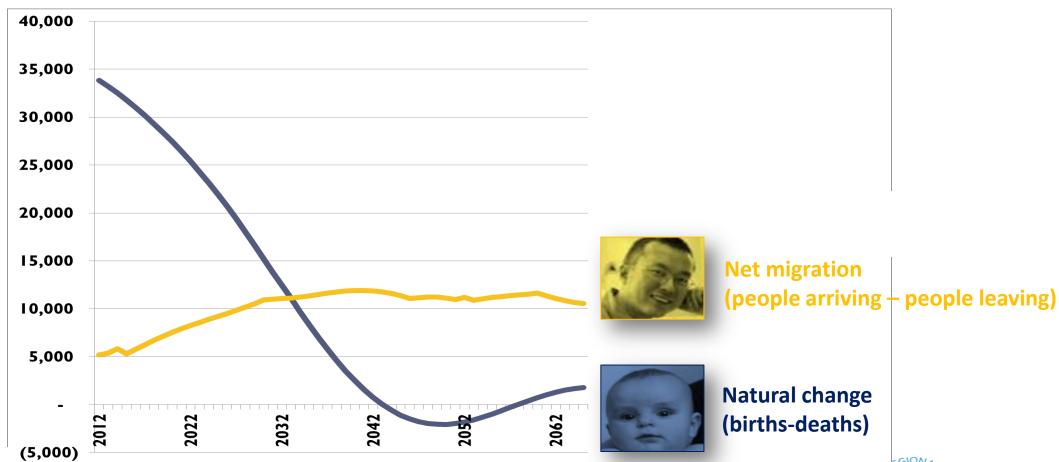








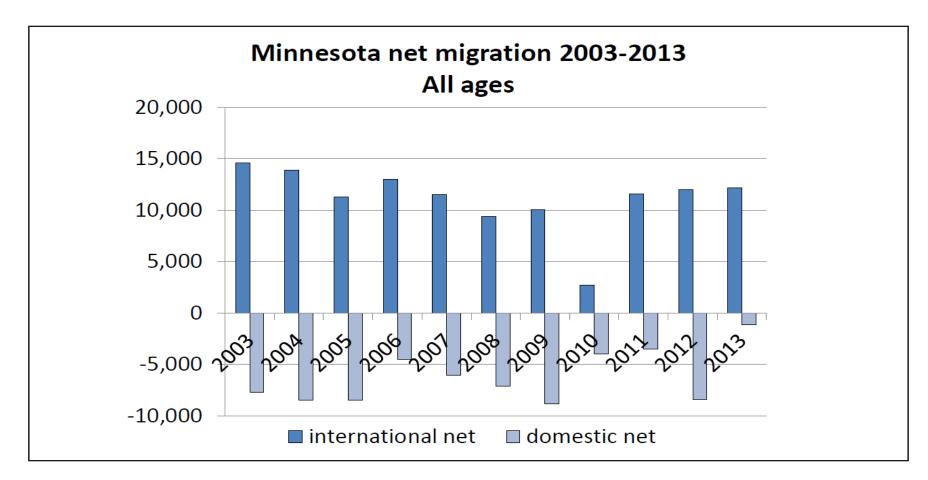
### NET MIGRATION WILL BECOME THE MAJOR DRIVER OF OUR MINNESOTA'S GROWTH BEYOND 2030







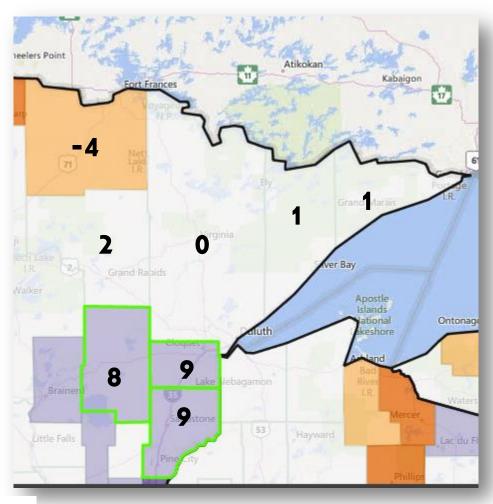
### MN DOMESTIC MIGRATION HAS BEEN NEGATIVE EVERY YEAR OF PAST DECADE







#### NET MIGRANTS PER 100 INDIVIDUALS IN THE REGION, 2000-2010

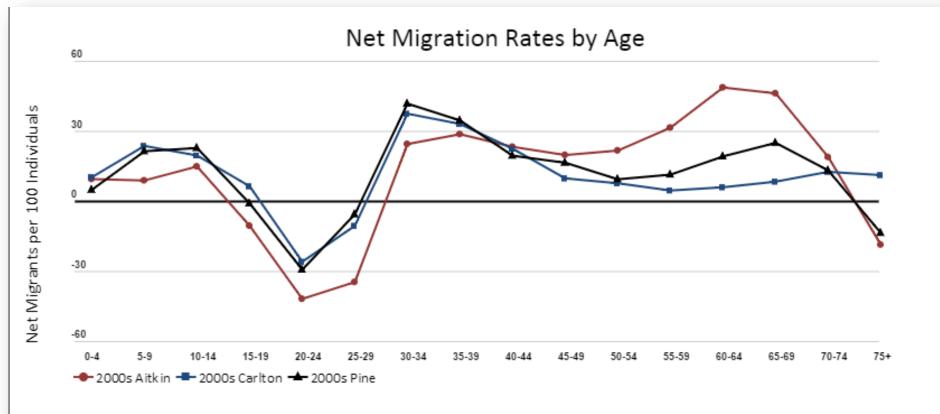


- 3 of 8 MN counties in the region experienced strong positive net migration between 2000 and 2010
  - Aitkin (8 per 100)
  - Carlton (9 per 100)
  - Pine (9 per 100)
- 1 of 8 MN counties in the region experienced negative net migration between 2000 and 2010
  - Koochiching (-4 per 100)





### IN 2000s: AITKIN, CARLTON & PINE COUNTIES: ATTRACTIVE DESTINATIONS FOR 30- TO 74-YEAR-OLDS



Winkler, Richelle, Ken Johnson, Cheng Cheng, Jim Beaudoin, Paul Voss, and Katherine Curtis. Age-Specific Net Migration Estimates for US Counties, 1950-2010. Applied Population Laboratory, University of Wisconsin- Madison, 2013. Web.







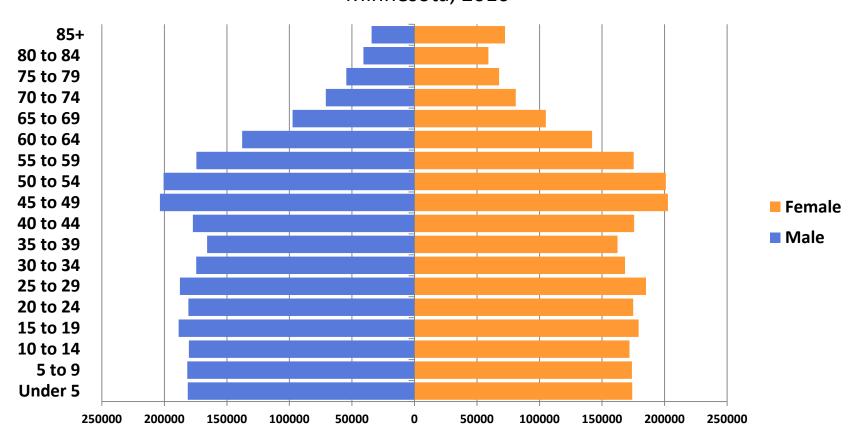
AGING OUTLOOK, MINNESOTA





### MINNESOTA TOTAL POPULATION IN 5-YEAR BARS, 2010 DECENNIAL CENSUS

#### Population by age and sex Minnesota, 2010

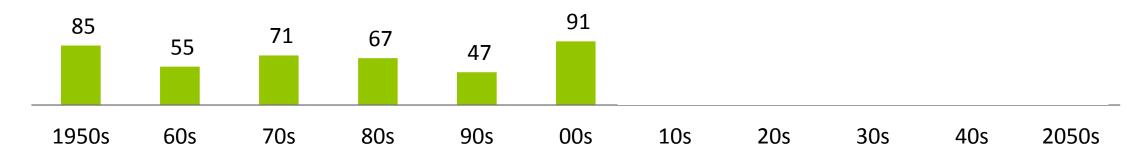






## THIS DECADE AND NEXT: *UNPRECEDENTED* INCREASES IN MN'S 65+ POPULATION

Change in older adults, age 65+ (in thousands)

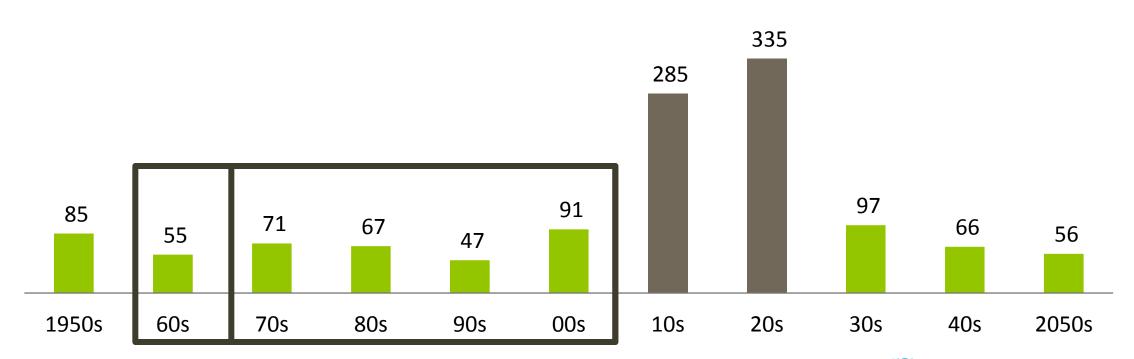






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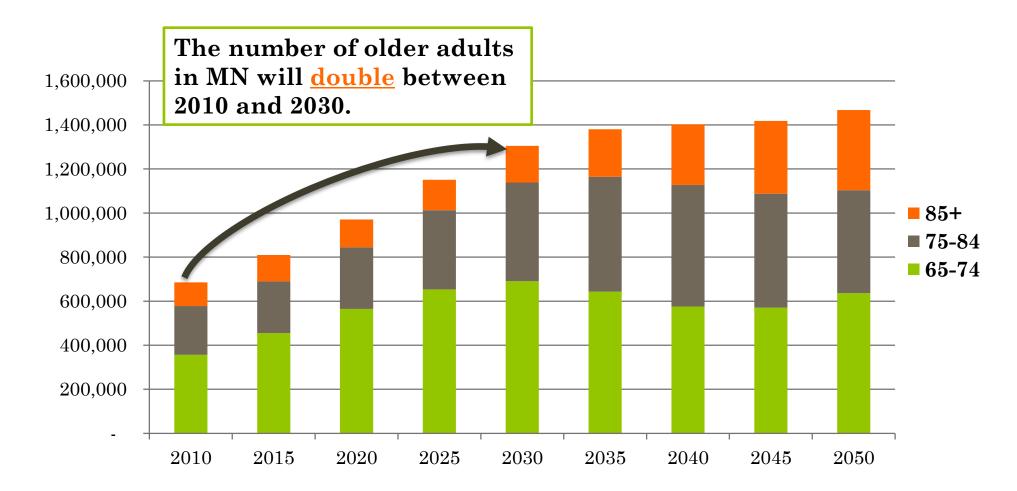
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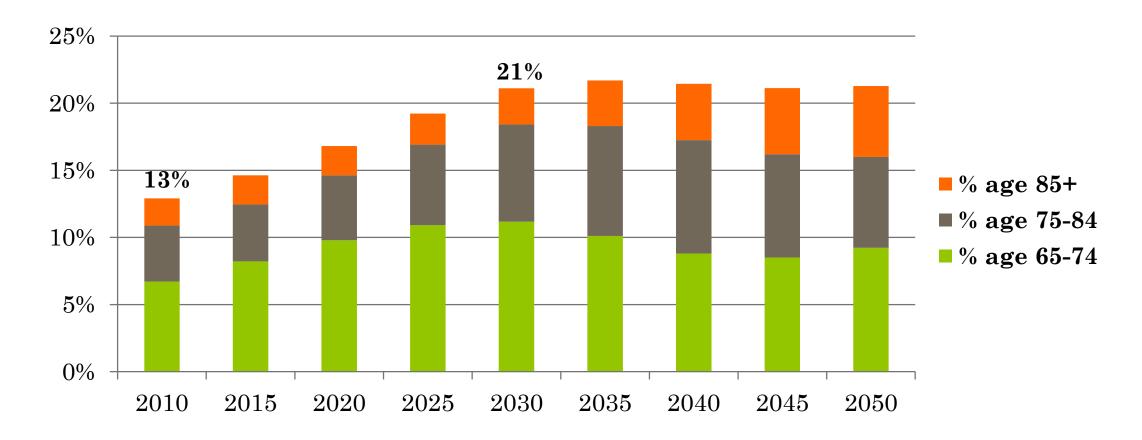
#### OLDER ADULTS (65+) IN MINNESOTA BY AGE COHORT, 2010-2050







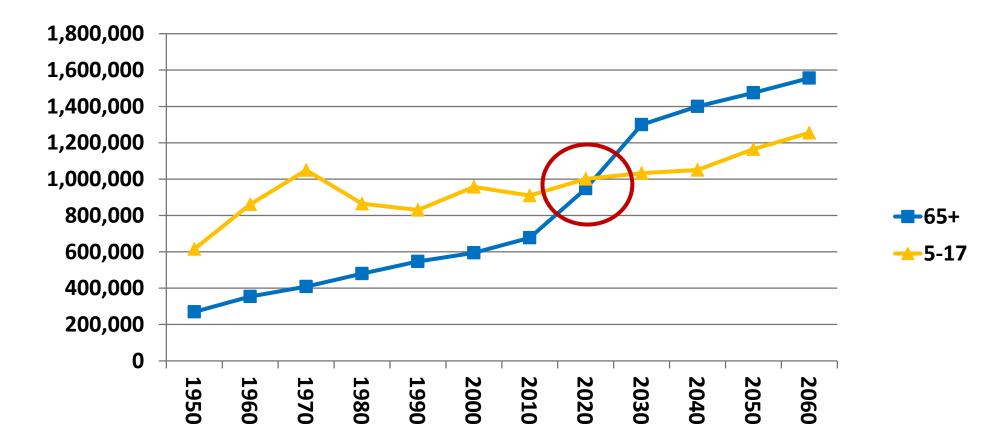
# BY 2030, MORE THAN 1 IN 5 MINNESOTANS WILL BE 65+, INCLUDING ALL BABY BOOMERS







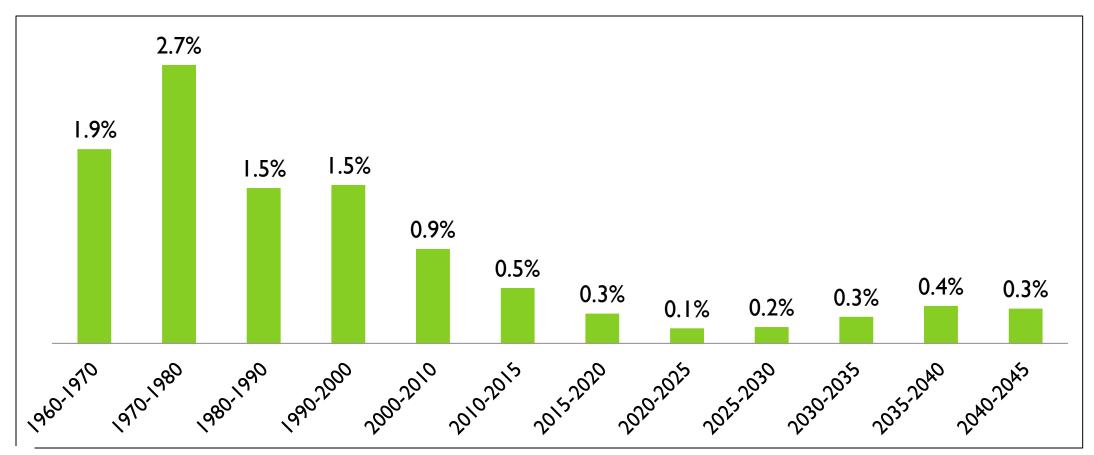
### FOR THE FIRST TIME IN MINNESOTA HISTORY: MORE 65+ THAN SCHOOL-AGE BY 2020







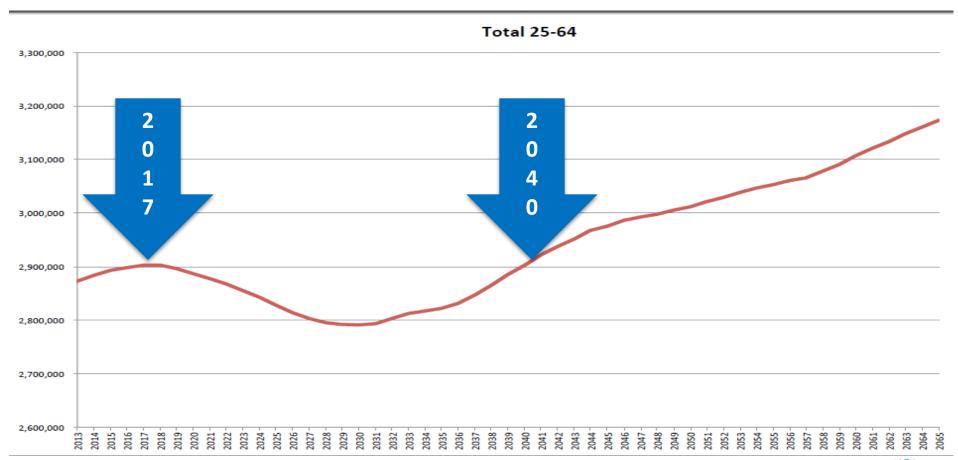
### LABOR FORCE GROWTH WILL CONTINUE TO SLOW AND REMAIN MODEST







# Total 25- to 64-year-olds in MN will dip by about 100,000 individuals

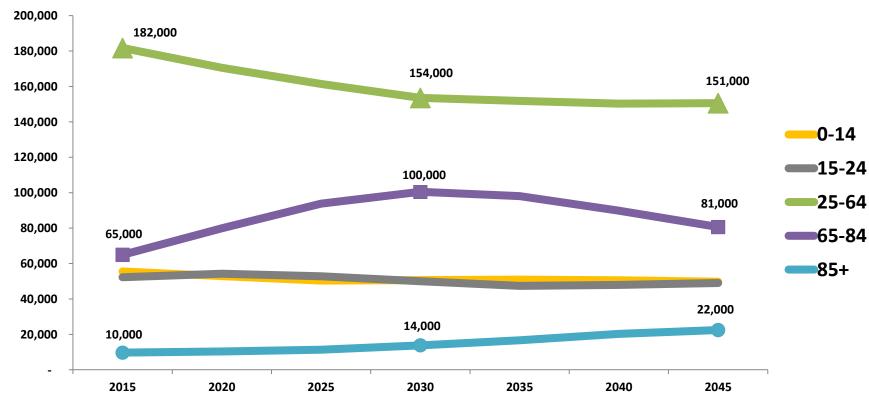






### REIF REGION IN MN: Working-age Population to decline sharply, 65+ to grow

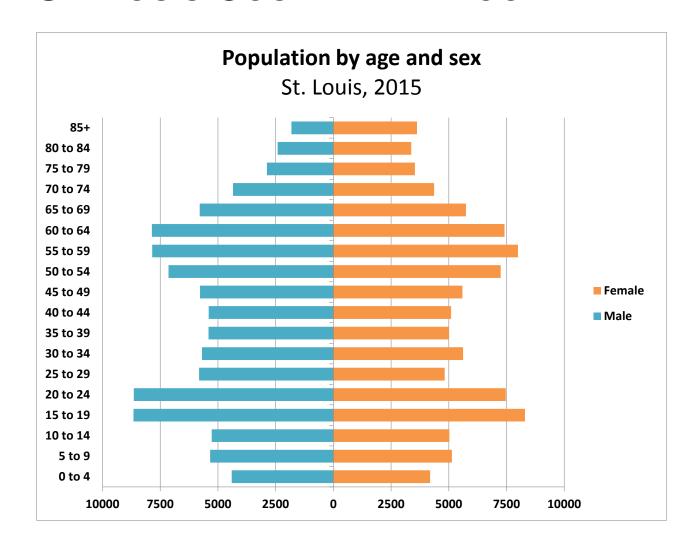
#### Population Projection by Age Cohort, 8 REIF Counties in Minnesota, Through 2045







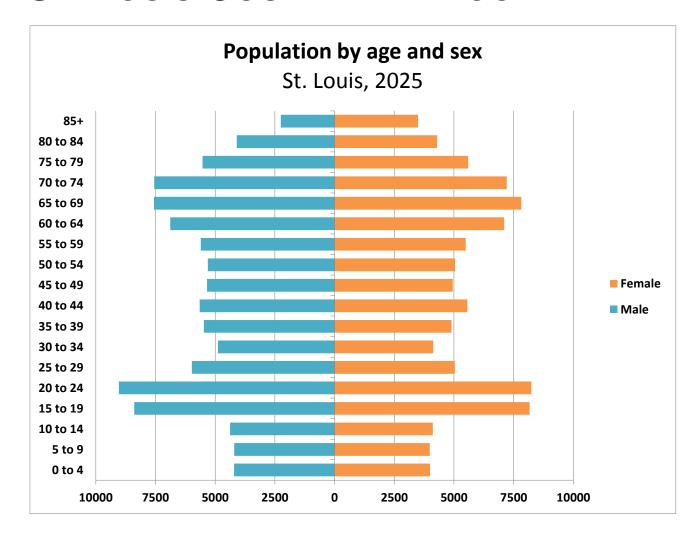
#### WHAT ST. LOUIS COUNTY WILL LOOK LIKE... NEXT YEAR







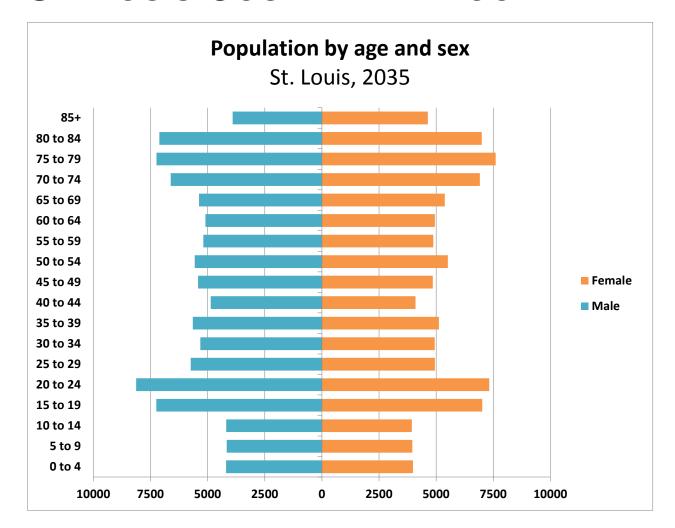
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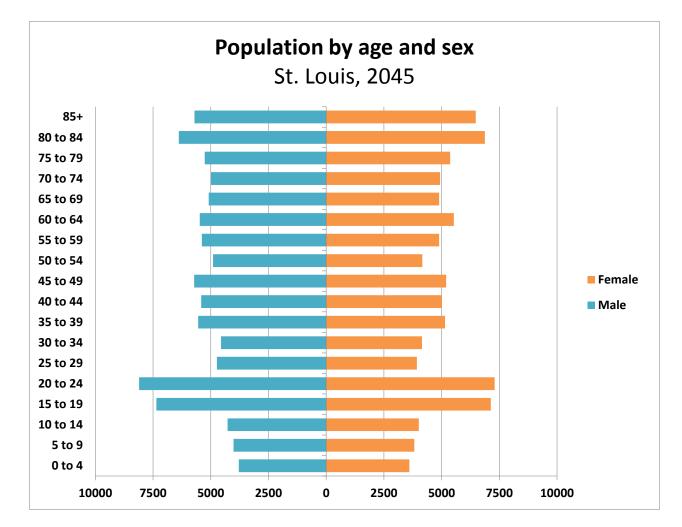
#### WHAT ST. LOUIS COUNTY WILL LOOK LIKE... IN 21 YEARS







#### WHAT ST. LOUIS COUNTY WILL LOOK LIKE... IN 31 YEARS







#### AGING: NOT WHAT IT USED TO BE...

- Minnesota's older adults are healthier, living longer, and working longer than prior generations
  - Life expectancy for Minnesotans age 65 now is 20 more years
    - 16 years in good health
  - Minnesota's Boomers and older adults volunteer in record shares
  - Lengthening participation in the workforce

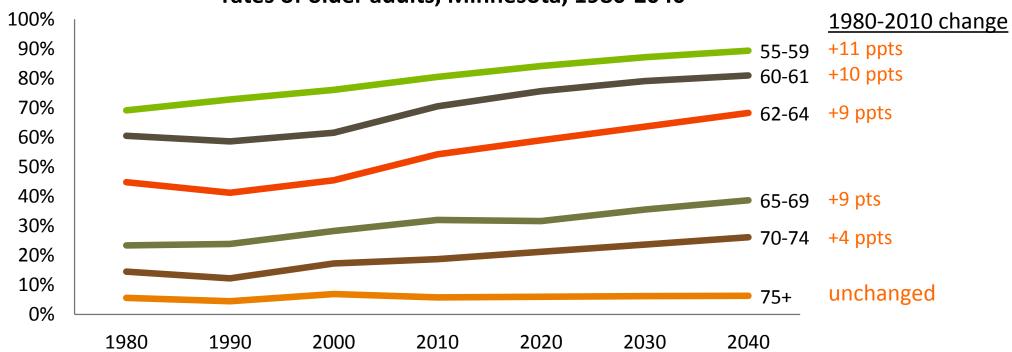






### 55- TO 74-YEAR-OLDS PROJECTED TO REMAIN IN THE LABOR FORCE LONGER THAN BEFORE, CONTINUING TREND

#### Historical and projected labor force participation rates of older adults, Minnesota, 1980-2040



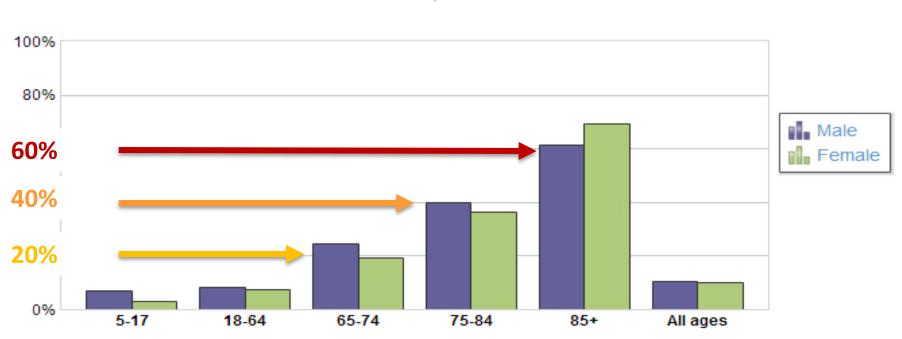




## AGING BRINGS RISING RATES OF DISABILITY AMONG THOSE LIVING IN THE COMMUNITY

#### Percent with a disability by gender and age

Minnesota, 2011







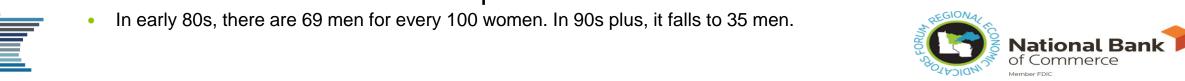
#### **CONSIDERATIONS OF AGING:**

#### **Older Adults In Their 60s**

- Most transition out of the labor force, impacting:
  - Daily activities, transportation patterns, spending habits
  - Surplus of "free" time volunteerism, family assistance
  - Population and housing shifts
  - Changes in labor force growth and dampened economic growth

#### In 70s and 80s+

- Prevalence of disability and dementias, and need for long-term care will grow dramatically
  - Work to curb growth in health care spending will have to redouble
- Outliving one's resources of great concern
- Gender imbalance much more prominent



#### IMPLICATIONS & OUTLOOK

- Less savings and investment (drawing down), and less overall spending among the older adult population
- Slowing labor force growth likely to dampen economic growth, barring significant productivity gains
- The aging of our state will create fierce debates about where to spend scarce public dollars
- We need to prepare "infrastructure" of all types -- for growing transportation, caregiving, health care, and social support needs, as health challenges and disabilities increase (especially when children live far away)
- Significant growth likely in public and private costs associated with health care, long-term care – how will we finance this?
- Fewer workers relative to older adults puts a premium on developing, retaining, and attracting skilled workers — to fuel continued economic growth, tax revenues for needed public services, and maintaining a high quality of life
- The past will not necessarily be our guide. Creativity and innovation will be essential.





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- We recently launched our new website at mn.gov/demography
- Locate more data, more efficiently
- New interactive maps and data visualizations
- Featuring a new blog, guidance for data users, and more
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   to 2045, by age and gender at
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